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### REMARKS

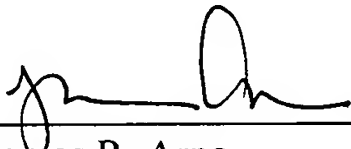
With this amendment, Claims 19 and 22 have been canceled. As these are the only rejected claims, it is respectfully submitted that the application is now in condition for allowance.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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